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## Fall Planting Guide

*Mitchell's*

Texas Gold

Black  
Parrot

### Exotic PARROT TULIPS for Your Garden

Here are four of the most spectacular and unusual Tulips ever offered. Huge, frilled and feathered flowers in brilliant colors that are sure to make a glorious display in your garden next spring. These varieties are still in short supply and the orders we receive first will be filled first.

**BLACK PARROT.** Purple-black frilled flowers. A sport of La Tulipe Noire. Be sure to have this novelty in your garden. Supply still limited.  
3 for 65¢; 10 for \$1.95; 25 for \$4.25; 100 for \$14.50

**TEXAS GOLD.** One of the most spectacular of all yellow Tulips. Huge, bright flowers bordered with a narrow edge of brilliant red. There are few flowers its equal.  
3 for 70¢; 10 for \$2.10; 25 for \$4.60; 100 for \$15.75

**PARROT WONDER.** Huge, brilliant carmine-red flowers measuring 8 to 10 inches in diameter with green markings in the feathered petals. Borne on 22-inch stems. Really a magnificent flower. Be one of the first to have this new and exciting flower. Our supply is very limited so please order early.  
3 for 75¢; 10 for \$2.25; 25 for \$4.80; 100 for \$16.50

<b>PARROT COLLECTION</b>	\$ 2.75
12 Bulbs	8.00
3 of Each	18.50
40 Bulbs	
10 of Each	
100 Bulbs	

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*Mitchell's*

# ALL DUTCH TULIPS

Guaranteed  
To  
Bloom!

Our bulbs are carefully selected for us in Holland by experienced and reliable firms that we have been doing business with for over sixty years. Each bulb is carefully graded because the only size bulbs that we carry is the largest size—the Top Size bulbs that give you the biggest and healthiest blooms.

**QUEEN OF THE NORTH.** One of the most beautiful and delicate of all bicolor Tulips. Makes a lovely garden display.

10 for \$1.60; 25 for \$3.60; 100 for \$12.60  
**DILLENBURG.** 28 in. Breeder. A brilliant salmon-orange, shaded rose. The large flower is borne on a strong, stiff stem. Recommended for the garden.

10 for \$1.25; 25 for \$2.70; 100 for \$9.45  
**THE PEACH.** 28 in. Darwin. A truly beautiful flower of peach-pink with a lighter edge.

10 for \$1.25; 25 for \$2.70; 100 for \$9.45  
**BLUE EAGLE.** 26 in. Darwin. Deep royal purple with bright blue base. Outstanding for the garden.

10 for \$1.25; 25 for \$2.70; 100 for \$9.45  
**GOLDEN AGE.** 24 in. Darwin. Bright golden orange with a lighter shade inside. Large flower; straight stem. Recommended for exhibition purposes.

10 for \$1.75; 25 for \$3.90; 100 for \$13.65  
**RED MASTER.** 26 in. Darwin. A brilliant purplish red with a deep blue base.

10 for \$1.25; 25 for \$2.70; 100 for \$9.45  
**FARNCOMBE SANDERS.** 25 in. Dawin. Perfectly shaped flowers of fiery rose-scarlet, inside cerise-scarlet with white center marked blue.

10 for \$1.25; 25 for \$2.70; 100 for \$9.45  
**PRINCESS MARGARET ROSE.** 25 in. Cottage. A yellow, artistically edged and flushed orange-red.

10 for \$1.25; 25 for \$2.70; 100 for \$9.45

Queen of  
the North

Farncombe  
Sanders

Princess  
Margaret  
Rose

## Special Collection No. 1

5 Varieties Illustrated at Right	Princess Margaret Rose
Princess Elizabeth	Scotch Lassie
Princess Margaret	Margaux
5 of each, 25 bulbs	\$2.75
10 of each, 50 bulbs	5.25
20 of each, 100 bulbs	9.50

### The Peach

**PRINCESS ELIZABETH.** 23 in. Darwin. Large, clear pink flower, deepening with age. Makes a beautiful show planted in front of evergreens. 10 for \$1.25; 25 for \$2.70; 100 for \$9.45

**SCOTCH LASSIE.** 26 in. Darwin. Deep lavender-purple, much darker inside; dark blue base. 10 for \$1.25; 25 for \$2.70; 100 for \$9.45

**MARGAUX.** 30 in. Darwin. An intriguing flower of deep wine-red, huge flowers on tall stems. A "must" for your garden. 10 for \$1.60; 25 for \$3.60; 100 for \$12.60

### 11 Illustrated Tulips

5 of each, <b>55 bulbs</b> . . . . .	\$ 6.35
10 of each, <b>110 bulbs</b> . . . . .	12.50
20 of each, <b>220 bulbs</b> . . . . .	23.95

Blue Eagle

Scotch Lassie

### Special Collection No. 2

#### 5 Illustrated Varieties at Left

Dillenburg	Golden Age	The Peach	Blue Eagle
5 of each, <b>25 bulbs</b> . . . . .	\$ 2.85		
10 of each, <b>50 bulbs</b> . . . . .	5.50		
20 of each, <b>100 bulbs</b> . . . . .	10.00		

Golden Age

### An Exciting Class of Tulips

**TRIUMPH**

The results of crossing Single Early and Darwins. They flower about 10 days later than Single Early Tulips thus bridging the gap between early and late varieties—stems shorter than Darwins—flowers of great size. 18 to 20 inches.

**BANDOENG.** Dark mahogany-red flushed orange and faintly bordered yellow. 10 for \$1.25; 25 for \$2.70; 100 for \$9.45

**BRUNO WALTER.** Deep chrome-yellow; outside flushed purple. 10 for \$1.55; 25 for \$3.35; 100 for \$11.50

**DENBOLA.** Beautiful cerise-ted broadly edged creamy white; bluish white center. 10 for \$1.60; 25 for \$3.60; 100 for \$12.60

**HER GRACE.** (Mendel.) 20 inches. White broadly edged dark pink. 10 for \$1.60; 25 for \$3.60; 100 for \$12.60

**KANSAS.** Large snow-white with yellow anthers; long flower and a good forcing variety. 10 for \$1.25; 25 for \$2.70; 100 for \$9.45

**RED GIANT.** Large flower of brilliant scarlet.

10 for \$1.50; 25 for \$3.25; 100 for \$10.75

**URSA MINOR.** Beautiful golden yellow. 10 for \$1.25; 25 for \$2.70; 100 for \$9.45

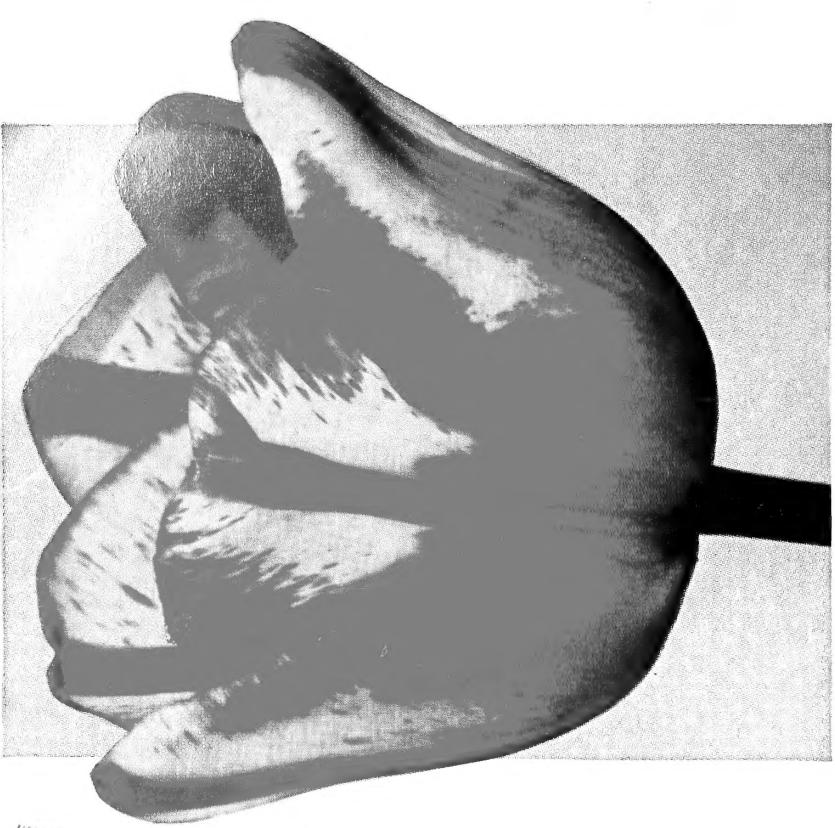
Red Master

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# Mitchell's Rainbow Tulips

## of Distinction

### ALL IMPORTS FROM HOLLAND



**ADVANCE.** 28 in. Cottage. Very distinct blazing orange-scarlet Tulip with glittering black center. One of the most beautiful of the Cottage varieties. Produces gigantic blooms on strong, tall stems. Highly recommended. 10 for \$1.60; 25 for \$3.60; 100 for \$12.60

**AFTERRGLOW.** 26 in. Darwin. Deep orange tints suffused with salmon, and edged apricot-orange. Like a glorious sunset. 10 for \$1.25; 25 for \$2.70; 100 for \$9.45

**ALBINO.** 25 in. Cottage. Pure white, graceful flowers. Recommended for forcing. 10 for \$1.25; 25 for \$2.70; 100 for \$9.45

**ALL BRIGHT.** 25 in. Darwin. Carmine-red, edged light blood-red, blue base. Petals shaded purplish red on outside. Sport of Bartigton. 10 for \$1.25; 25 for \$2.70; 100 for \$9.45

**ALWINA.** 27 in. Darwin. Large globular flowers of clear pink on tall stiff stems. A fine new variety. 10 for \$1.60; 25 for \$3.60; 100 for \$12.60

**ARISTOCRAT.** 28 in. Darwin. Soft purplish violet, edged white. Large goblet-shaped flower of excellent substance, strong stem. 10 for \$1.60; 25 for \$3.60; 100 for \$12.60

**BARTIGON MAXIMUS.** 24 in. Darwin. A larger bloom than Bartigton. 10 for \$1.25; 25 for \$2.70; 100 for \$9.45

**BELLE JAUNE.** 26 in. Cottage. Beautiful golden yellow with bright yellow interior; light base with yellow anthers. An excellent bedding variety. Large, long flower on stiff straight stem. 10 for \$1.25; 25 for \$3.60; 100 for \$12.60

**CARRARA.** 26 in. Cottage. Graceful, pure white flowers which are round, cup-shaped and large, with broad petals. Excellent for forcing in pans. Perfect form, purity, and long-lasting qualities. 10 for \$1.25; 25 for \$2.70; 100 for \$9.45

**CHARLES NEEDHAM.** 28 in. Darwin. Large globular flowers of glowing vermillion. An all-time favorite. 10 for \$1.60; 25 for \$3.60; 100 for \$12.60

**CHERBOURG.** 30 in. Breeder. Old gold shaded light bronze. Fine egg-shaped Tulip on a strong stem. A favorite in the garden. 10 for \$1.75; 25 for \$3.75; 100 for \$12.90

**CITY OF HAARLEM.** 27 in. Darwin. One of the best scarlet varieties, steel-blue base with white outline. Fine for bedding or forcing in pots. Flowers large on strong stems. 10 for \$1.60; 25 for \$3.60; 100 for \$12.60

**CLARA BUTT.** 24 in. Darwin. Delicate salmon-pink, of perfect shape. Good bedder and forcer. 10 for \$1.25; 25 for \$2.70; 100 for \$9.45

**CORDELL HULL.** Beautiful red with broad white stripes. An exquisite variety for the garden. 10 for \$1.25; 25 for \$2.70; 100 for \$9.45

**DUKE OF WELLINGTON.** 26 in. Darwin. Outstanding pure white flower of perfect form with cream anthers and base. Flowers are carried on a stiff stem and are of lasting quality. 10 for \$1.25; 25 for \$2.70; 100 for \$9.45

**ECLIPSE.** 26 in. Darvin. Glowing deep blood-red, with white margined deep blue base. Very attractive. 10 for \$1.60; 25 for \$3.60; 100 for \$12.60

**GLACIER.** (Wildluster.) 28 in. Darwin. A giant among white Tulips. White base and anthers. Oval-shaped flowers of strong substance on straight stems. 10 for \$1.60; 25 for \$3.60; 100 for \$12.60

**GOLDEN HARVEST.** 26 in. Cottage. Large, globular, bright lemon-yellow flowers of great substance on tall, stiff stems. 10 for \$1.25; 25 for \$2.70; 100 for \$9.45

**INDIAN CHIEF.** 32 in. Breeder. Deep Indian-red flushed purple and edged warm brown with age. Enormous flowers on long, stately stems. Very artistic and fine for exhibition purposes. 10 for \$1.75; 25 for \$3.75; 100 for \$12.90

**INGA HUME.** 28 in. Cottage. An inside of deep yellow sprayed red, the outside red with broad yellow edge with large black base. A perfectly formed flower on an erect stem. 10 for \$1.25; 25 for \$2.70; 100 for \$9.45

**INGLESCOMBE YELLOW.** 24 in. Cottage. A full rich yellow, fine large cup-shaped flowers. 10 for \$1.25; 25 for \$2.70; 100 for \$9.45

**INSURPASABLE.** 28 in. Darvin. A mammoth Tulip, lilac-mauve ribbed with white. Tall, strong stems. 10 for \$1.60; 25 for \$3.60; 100 for \$12.60

**KING GEORGE V.** 25 in. Darwin. Salmon-scarlet shaded rose; blue base. An excellent bedder. Holds its color in the sun. 10 for \$1.25; 25 for \$2.70; 100 for \$9.45

**LOUIS XIV.** 28 in. Breeder. Dark purple, flushed bronze, with broad margin of golden brown. A unique variety of striking beauty. Enormous flowers on strong stems. 10 for \$1.60; 25 for \$3.60; 100 for \$12.60

**MADAME BUTTERFLY.** (Dreadnaught.) 28 in. Darwin. A lovely pale mauve, shaded violet; white base with black anthers. Large, egg-shaped flower on tall, stiff stem. 10 for \$1.25; 25 for \$2.70; 100 for \$9.45

**MARSHALL HAIG.** 26 in. Cottage. Brilliant scarlet with glittering red interior; yellow base. A garden favorite. 10 for \$1.60; 25 for \$3.60; 100 for \$12.60

**MONTGOMERY.** 26 in. Darwin. White, edged carmine, when fully grown more pink is shown suffusing the whole flower. 10 for \$1.60; 25 for \$3.60; 100 for \$12.60

**MOTHER'S DAY.** (Lemon Queen.) 26 in. Cottage. Soft lemon-yellow Tulip, excellent for bedding purposes. Also good for late forcing. 10 for \$1.25; 25 for \$2.70; 100 for \$9.45

**MRS. JOHN T. SCHEEPERS.** 26 in. Cottage. Clear chrome-yellow; erect, tall stem. Enormous, oblong flower of vigorous growth. 10 for \$1.60; 25 for \$3.60; 100 for \$12.60

**MRS. MOON.** 25 in. Cottage. Rich golden yellow. Beautiful large flower of great substance with pointed petals. 10 for \$1.25; 25 for \$2.70; 100 for \$9.45

#### American Flag

**AMERICAN FLAG.** (Old Glory.) Dark red with broad white lines and a distinct blue base. Large flower of good substance on straight, strong stem. Attractive. 10 for \$1.60; 25 for \$3.60; 100 for \$12.60

**NIPHEOTOS.** 28 in. Darwin. Lemon-yellow paling to ivory-yellow; light base with yellow anthers. Petals of remarkable texture beautifully curved. 10 for \$1.60; 25 for \$3.60; 100 for \$12.60

**PRIDE OF HAARLEM.** 26 in. Darwin. Brilliant carmine flower of wonderful form and size. Unsurpassed for massing among shrubs or in borders. 12 for \$1.25; 25 for \$2.70; 100 for \$9.45

**PRIDE OF ZWANENBURG.** 29 in. Darwin. Lovely bright pink, suffused with rose-red; white base and black anthers. 10 for \$1.60; 25 for \$3.60; 100 for \$12.60

**PRUNUS.** 25 in. Darwin. A delightful rose-pink with white base. Large, strong flower. Excellent for forcing or in the garden. 10 for \$1.25; 25 for \$2.70; 100 for \$9.45

**QUEEN OF THE NIGHT.** 28 in. Darwin. Extremely dark maroon with bright velvety sheen. Medium large flower. Darkest Tulip ever introduced. 10 for \$1.25; 25 for \$2.70; 100 for \$9.45

**ROSABELLA.** 24 in. Cottage. Beautiful carmine-rose, broad white edge, inside flesh-pink with creamy white center. Flowers are shaped like rosebuds. 10 for \$1.60; 25 for \$3.60; 100 for \$12.60

**ROSY DAWN.** 28 in. Cottage. Large creamy white flowers with a rose-red margin and pointed petals. 10 for \$2.10; 25 for \$4.50; 100 for \$15.00

**SCARLET BEAUTY.** 27 in. Darwin. Bright vermilion-scarlet without markings; pale blue center bordered white. 10 for \$1.60; 25 for \$3.60; 100 for \$12.60

## ALL BULBS POSTPAID

The Bishop

See Page 19 for Special Tulip Mixture

**SMILING QUEEN.** 28 in. Darwin. One of the finest of all rose-colored Tulips—a beautiful satin-rose.  
10 for \$1.60; 25 for \$3.60; 100 for \$12.60

**SOUTHERN CROSS.** 31 in. Breeder. Delightful blend of sulphur-yellow changing to golden yellow flushed warm apricot.  
10 for \$1.60; 25 for \$3.60; 100 for \$12.60

**THE BISHOP.** 30 in. Darwin. Excellent for beds or borders. Deep violet, center white, edged with blue; anthers black. A large, bowl-like flower of artistic coloring.  
10 for \$1.60; 25 for \$3.60; 100 for \$12.60

**WHITE GIANT.** 30 in. Darwin. A pure white Tulip of ideal form, with dark purple anthers. Substantial flowers on straight tall stems. Blooms remain in fine condition longer than most varieties and color does not streak with age.  
10 for \$1.25; 25 for \$2.70; 100 for \$9.45

**WILLIAM PITT.** 24 in. Darwin. Dark crimson, shaded purple on outer petals. A large variety.  
10 for \$1.25; 25 for \$2.70; 100 for \$9.45

**YELLOW GIANT.** 28 in. Darwin. Large, globular, deep golden yellow flowers carried on tall, stiff stems. Excellent for garden or exhibition.  
10 for \$1.25; 25 for \$2.70; 100 for \$9.45

**ZWANENBURG.** 28 in. Darwin. A very beautiful flower of pure sparkling white, center marked with shining black anthers. Blooms have a spicy fragrance.  
10 for \$1.25; 25 for \$2.70; 100 for \$9.45

## May - Flowering Collection

The Bishop Smiling Queen White Giant

City of Haarlem Mrs. John T. Scheepers

5 Illustrated Varieties

5 of each,	25 bulbs	\$ 3.25
10 of each,	50 bulbs	6.25
20 of each,	100 bulbs	12.00

City  
of  
Haarlem

Mrs. John T.  
Scheepers

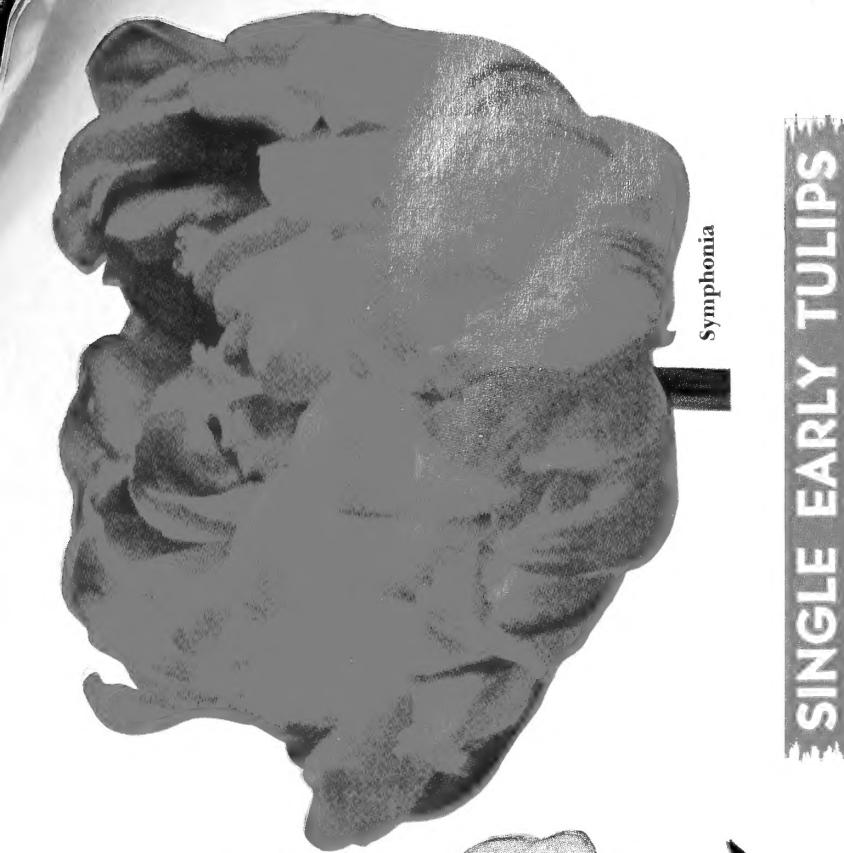
Usually flower a few days later than the Single Early varieties. The large very showy flowers make striking mass displays. Excellent for cutting. 10 to 12 inches.  
**ELECTRA.** Enormous rose violet-red. A real garden favorite.  
10 for \$1.60; 25 for \$3.60; 100 for \$12.60

**MR. VAN DER HOEF.** A pure golden yellow sport of Munillo. 10 for \$1.60; 25 for \$3.60; 100 for \$12.60  
**ORANGE NASSAU.** Bright orange-scarlet, margined orange, outer petals shaded cherry-red.  
10 for \$1.60; 25 for \$3.60; 100 for \$12.60

**PEACH BLOSSOM.** Bright rose-pink, flushed white.  
10 for \$1.60; 25 for \$3.60; 100 for \$12.60  
**SCARLET CARDINAL.** Very large; dazzling scarlet. The best in its color. Very early.  
10 for \$1.75; 25 for \$3.90; 100 for \$13.65

**SCHOONHOORD.** Large, pure white flowers, resembling a Peony in form.  
10 for \$1.60; 25 for \$3.60; 100 for \$12.60  
**DOUBLE EARLY MIXTURE.** A choice mixture of many colors and shades, from named sorts.  
10 for \$1.60; 25 for \$3.60; 100 for \$12.60

## DOUBLE EARLY



### Peony Flowered Tulip Collection

Uncle Tom	Eros
Symphonica	Nizza
Mount Tacoma	
25 bulbs, 5 of each	\$ 3.50
50 bulbs, 10 of each	6.35
100 bulbs, 20 of each	11.45

Uncle Tom



### PEONY FLOWERED TULIPS

Varieties listed are colorful and satisfactory for bedding purposes, group planting or in the border among evergreens. Of sturdy habit with strong, erect stems. 22 to 24 inches.

**COXA.** Carmine-red, edged vermilion; very small white border. Large flowering. 10 for \$1.60; 25 for \$3.60; 100 for \$12.60

**EROS.** Very large, substantial flowers of a clear old rose color. 10 for \$1.60; 25 for \$3.60; 100 for \$12.60

**LIVINGSTONE.** A brilliant flame-red flower. This huge flower makes a striking addition to any garden. 10 for \$1.60; 25 for \$3.60; 100 for \$12.60

**MOUNT TACOMA.** A large flower resembling a double pure white Peony. Very strong and sturdy, with long blooming season. 10 for \$1.60; 25 for \$3.60; 100 for \$12.60

**NIZZA.** Red striped yellow. A very double flower on strong stem. Ideal for bedding purposes. 10 for \$1.60; 25 for \$3.60; 100 for \$12.60

**ROYAL YELLOW.** The best yellow. Rich golden yellow. 10 for \$1.75; 25 for \$3.75; 100 for \$12.90

**SYMPHONIA.** Double Pride of Haarlem; deep rosy carmine. Very much admired and highly recommended for all gardens. 10 for \$1.40; 25 for \$3.10; 100 for \$10.85

**UNCLE TOM.** Beautiful, large, full-double flowers of a uniform deep glossy maroon-red. 10 for \$1.75; 25 for \$3.75; 100 for \$12.90

### SINGLE EARLY TULIPS

Bloom long before the Late Tulips begin to show color and give the garden a glorious range of soft and brilliant colors early in spring. 12 to 15 inches.

**BRILLIANT STAR.** Large, vermillion-scarlet. Highly recommended. 10 for \$1.60; 25 for \$3.60; 100 for \$12.60

**COULEUR CARDINAL.** Bright scarlet. Very attractive. Fine for bedding. 10 for \$1.60; 25 for \$3.60; 100 for \$12.60

**DE WET.** (Fireglow.) Golden yellow flowers flushed and stippled fiery orange. 10 for \$1.40; 25 for \$3.10; 100 for \$10.85

**IBIS.** Very large, dark brilliant pink flowers. Also recommended for bedding. 10 for \$1.40; 25 for \$3.10; 100 for \$10.85

**KEIZERSKROON.** Brilliant red with gold border. Extra large, on long stems. 10 for \$1.75; 25 for \$3.90; 100 for \$13.65

**PELICAN.** Large globular pure white. Excellent for outdoor growing. 10 for \$1.40; 25 for \$3.10; 100 for \$10.85

**PINK BEAUTY.** Bright cherry-rose, center of petals striped white. 10 for \$1.75; 25 for \$3.90; 100 for \$13.65

**PRINCE CARNIVAL.** Artistic combination of red and yellow. A delightful novelty for the garden. 10 for \$1.60; 25 for \$3.60; 100 for \$12.60

**RISING SUN.** Pure golden yellow flowers of good form, large size, and sturdy growth. 10 for \$1.40; 25 for \$3.10; 100 for \$10.85

**SINGLE EARLY MIXTURE.** Our mixture has long been noted for brilliancy, proper blending and variety of colors. 10 for \$1.60; 25 for \$3.60; 100 for \$12.60



### PARROT TULIPS

See Front Cover for 4-Color Varieties

**BLUE PARROT.** Bright violet and mauve, tinted bronze, inside purple shaded steel-blue. 10 for \$1.60; 25 for \$3.60; 100 for \$12.60

**FANTASY.** True salmon-rose, with ragged edges and fantastically shaped petals; the outer sides of the petals marked apple-green. 10 for \$1.25; 25 for \$2.70; 100 for \$9.45

**ORANGE FAVORITE.** Bright orange, green blotches, yellow base. Very fragrant. 10 for \$1.25; 25 for \$2.70; 100 for \$9.45

**PIERSON PARROT.** Enormous glossy deep blood-red flower, blue base. 10 for \$1.60; 25 for \$3.60; 100 for \$12.60

**SUNSHINE.** Rich golden yellow, beautifully waved and fringed. 10 for \$1.60; 25 for \$3.60; 100 for \$12.60

**THERESA.** Bright cochineal-carmine, center tinted blue. Outer petals marked parrot-green. 10 for \$1.60; 25 for \$3.60; 100 for \$12.60

**VIOLET QUEEN.** Beautiful soft violet, flushed lavender, with very deeply cut petals, outer petals strongly marked bronzy green. White markings in the centers. 10 for \$1.75; 25 for \$3.75; 100 for \$12.90

# BOTANICAL TULIPS

These Tulips are particularly adapted for rock gardens or borders. They show their bright colors early in the season and have graceful, recurving petals. For the most striking effects, plant in masses or clumps.

**RED EMPEROR.** The largest and most spectacular of all Tulips, and one of the earliest to bloom. Intensely brilliant scarlet-red, opening wide to display a glossy black center, bordered with yellow. Height about 20 inches. Very effective planted in borders or in front of evergreens. 10 for \$1.35; 25 for \$2.85; 100 for \$9.50

**KAUFMANNIANA.** Beautifully soft colored shades make this one of the most attractive of all Tulips. Creamy white flower marked with carmine and with a yellow center. Height 5 to 7 inches. 10 for \$2.00; 25 for \$4.35; 100 for \$15.00

**SAXATILIS.** A rare Tulip found on the Island of Crete. It has a delicate lilac flower with a large and soft yellow base. Height 14 inches. 10 for \$1.35; 25 for \$3.00; 100 for \$10.25

**DASYSTEMON.** A truly rock garden flower with blossoms of canary-yellow with white tips. Several flowers on one stem. Height 5 inches. 10 for \$2.00; 25 for \$4.35; 100 for \$15.00

**MARJOLETTI.** Soft primrose shaded with carmine-red at base. Small blossom of an attractive color on strong straight stem. Height 12 inches. 10 for \$1.25; 25 for \$2.70; 100 for \$9.45

**CLUSIANA.** Often called the Lady Tulip or Candystick Tulip. The outer petals of the blossom are a vivid cherry-red while the inner petals are a creamy white. Height 8 inches. 10 for \$1.35; 25 for \$3.00; 100 for \$10.25

**EICHLERI.** A most unusual and attractive colored Tulip of crimson-scarlet shaded with orange. Center of the flower is shining black marked with gold. Height 9 inches. 10 for \$1.25; 25 for \$2.70; 100 for \$9.45

## Be Sure to Grow These Exciting Novelties

## Lily-flowered Tulips

An interesting group of Tulips, closely related to the Cottage type, however the flowers are typified by long pointed and recurving petals. 22 to 24 inches in height.

**ALASKA.** Long clear yellow flowers of great beauty. 10 for \$1.40; 25 for \$3.00; 100 for \$10.50

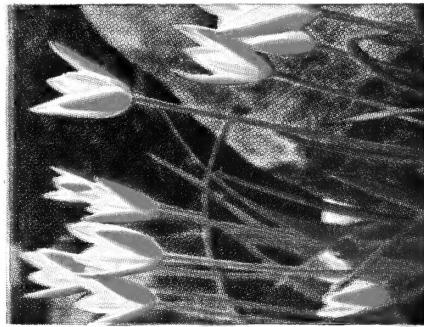
**CAPT. FRYATT.** Ruby-red, inside brighter red with blue base starred white, yellow anthers. 10 for \$1.75; 25 for \$3.75; 100 for \$12.90

**CHINA PINK.** Delicate pink flowers with yellow base and anthers. 10 for \$1.75; 25 for \$3.75; 100 for \$12.90

**PICOTEE.** Beautiful flower of snow-white with a margin of pink on the reflexing petals. 10 for \$1.25; 25 for \$2.70; 100 for \$9.45

**STANISLAUS.** Clear tone of brilliant orange-vermillion, yellow base marked green. 10 for \$1.75; 25 for \$3.90; 100 for \$13.65

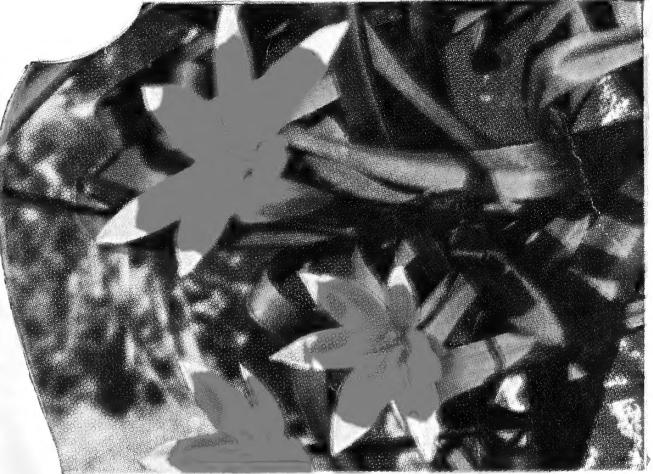
**WHITE CROSS.** Snow-white with broad slightly ruffled and recurving petals, which are flushed with soft green in center. 10 for \$1.75; 25 for \$3.75; 100 for \$12.90



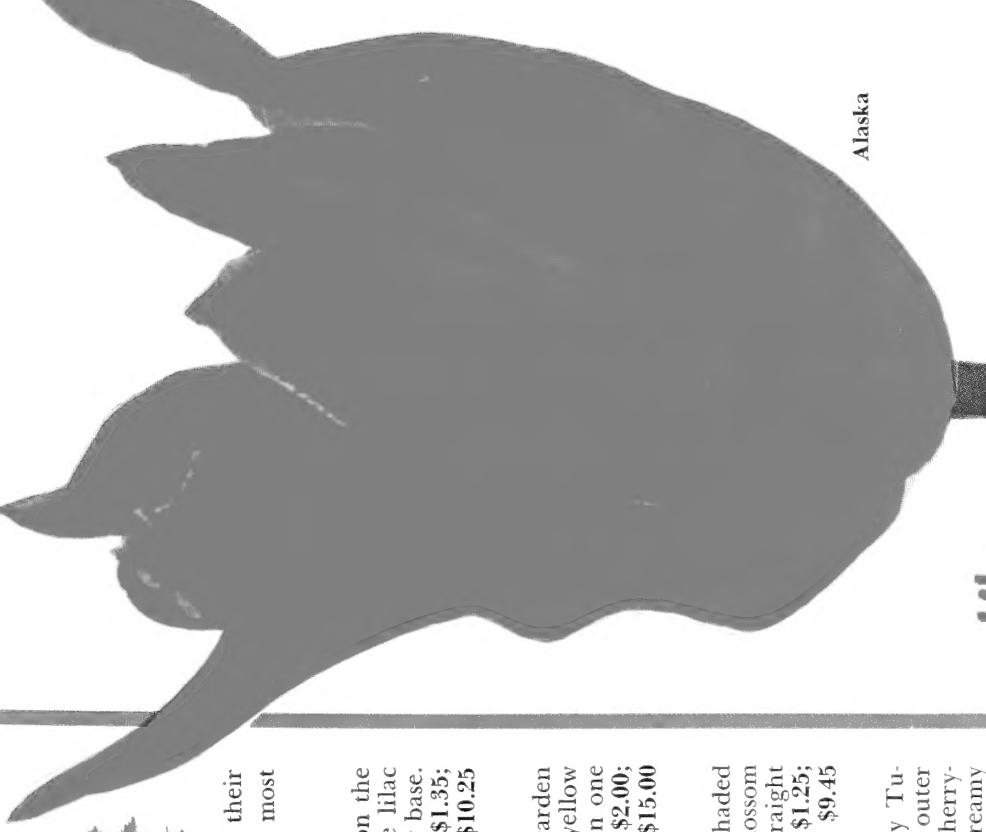
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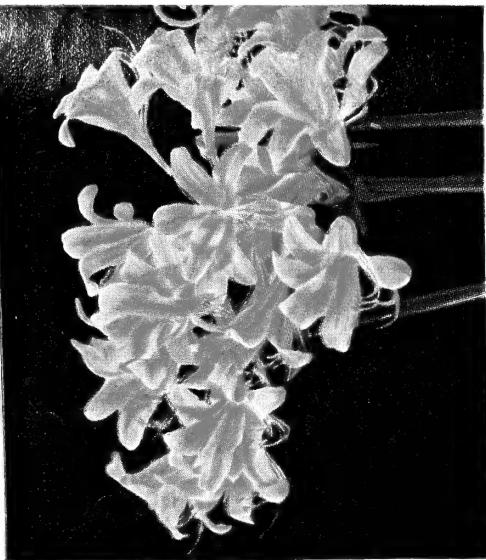


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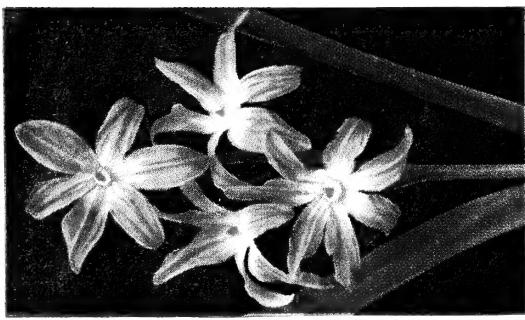
Red Emperor



### AMARYLLIS HALLI, Hardy

One of the most beautiful of all flowers, featuring clusters of enormous lily-shaped blooms of delicate pink, shaded with clear lovely blue. Attractive foliage dies down suddenly in July and is quickly replaced by sturdy flower stalks.

Each, 50c; 3 for \$1.35; 10 for \$4.00



### CHIONODOXA

#### (Glory-of-the-Snow)

One of the first flowers to appear in the spring. Used for edging, for planting in masses, or in the rock garden.

**LUCILIAE.** Bright blue with white center.  
10 for 50c; 25 for \$1.00; 100 for \$3.50

**LUCILIA ALBA.** White.  
10 for 55c; 25 for \$1.15; 100 for \$4.00

**SARDENSIS.** Very deep blue with white center.  
10 for 50c; 25 for \$1.00; 100 for \$3.50

10 for 50c; 25 for \$1.15; 100 for \$4.00

**CAMPANULATA ALBA.** White.  
10 for 55c; 25 for \$1.15; 100 for \$4.00

**CAMPANULATA, BLUE.**  
10 for 55c; 25 for \$1.15; 100 for \$4.00

**CAMPANULATA ROSEA.** Pink.  
10 for 55c; 25 for \$1.15; 100 for \$4.00

**SIBIRICA.** Blue.  
10 for 70c; 25 for \$1.50; 100 for \$5.00

**SIBIRICA.** White.  
10 for 55c; 25 for \$1.15; 100 for \$4.00

**SPRING BEAUTY.** Light blue. Very large and free flowering.  
10 for 75c; 25 for \$1.75; 100 for \$6.00



### CROCUS

One of the earliest spring flowers. Plant in groups, their brilliant colors will bloom year after year.

**BARON VON BRUNOW.** Deep blue.  
**ENCHANTESS.** Clear porcelain-blue.  
**KING OF THE BLUES.** Purple.  
**STRIPED BEAUTY.** Extra-large, white flower, evenly striped dark mauve.

Above Varieties: 10 for 55c; 25 for \$1.15; 100 for \$3.75.

**KING OF THE WHITES.** Pure white.  
**YELLOW MAMMOTH.** An excellent mixture of brilliant colors to herald the coming of spring.

Large size: 25 for \$1.35; 100 for \$4.50;  
Medium size: 25 for \$1.15; 100 for \$3.75; 250 for \$9.50  
10 for \$1.00; 25 for \$2.00; 100 for \$7.50



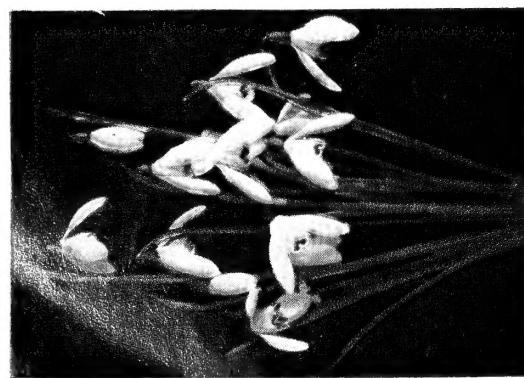
### SNOWDROPS

#### (Galanthus)

One of the earliest bulbs to bloom in the spring. Thrives in both sun and shade and in almost any situation or soil. Excellent for banks, edgings, or the rockery. Perfectly hardy. Height 6 to 8 inches.

**NIVALIS.** (Single.) Pure white.  
10 for 75c; 25 for \$1.50; 100 for \$5.00

**COLORFUL MIXTURE.** Charming woodland plants, also effective in the rock garden. Various colored. Lily-like flowers 8 inches.  
10 for 85c; 25 for \$2.00; 100 for \$7.25



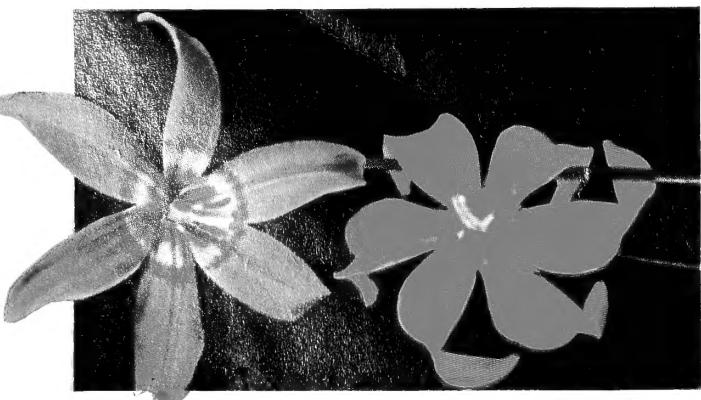
### ERYTHRONIUM

#### (Dog's-Tooth Violet)

Plant in either shade or sun. Once planted they multiply rapidly and send up flower spikes by the score each year. Perfectly hardy. Height 6 to 8 inches.

**ARMENIACUM.** The clearest blue, with spikes 4 to 5 inches high.  
10 for 50c; 25 for \$1.00; 100 for \$3.50

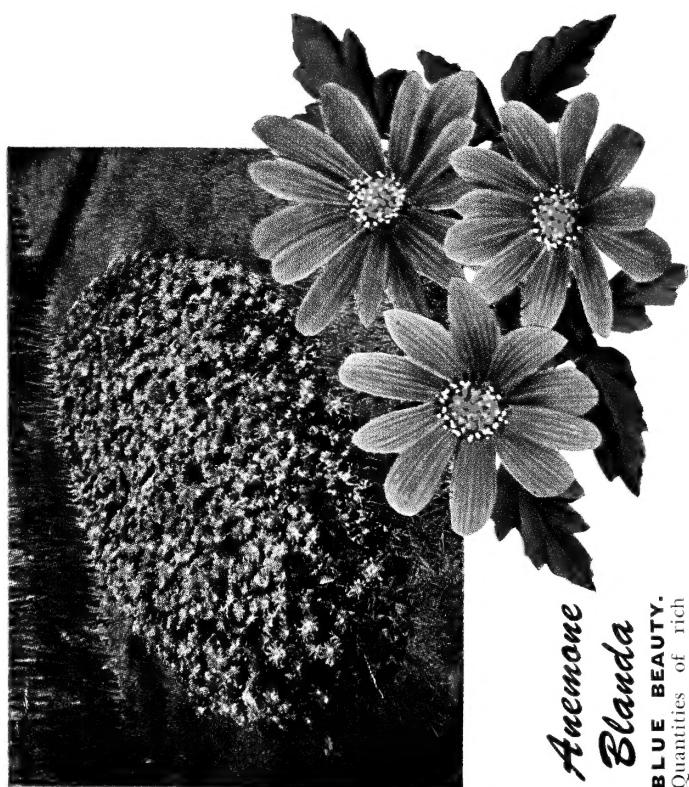
**BOTRYOIDES ALBA.** White. (Feathered.) Violet-colored plumes.  
10 for 85c; 25 for \$1.75; 100 for \$6.00



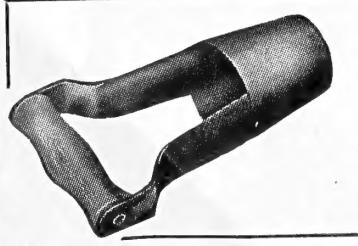
### Anemone Blanda

#### BLUE BEAUTY.

Quantities of rich violet-blue, star-shaped flowers appear in early spring just before the Crocus have bloomed. Foliage grows about 3 inches tall. Perfectly hardy, they make a wonderful show in the rock gardens or in naturalized masses under trees.



## Add Beauty and Interest with these Distinctive Small Flowering Bulbs



### All Spring-Blooming

#### **ACONITE (Eranthis hyemalis)**

An early spring-flowering bulb with golden yellow blooms. Prefers a moist, shady location. Excellent for the rockery. Height 6 inches. 10 for 55c; 25 for \$1.15; 100 for \$4.00

#### **FRITILLARIA MELLEAGRIS**

(Guinea Hen Flower; Checkered Lily) Dwarf, spring-flowering plants with large, pendent, bell-shaped flowers. Valuable for large groups in garden border; also for rock garden. Height 8 to 10 inches. 10 for 55c; 25 for \$1.15; 100 for \$4.00

#### **MIXED.**

10 for \$1.20; 25 for \$2.65; 100 for \$9.00



#### Hole-in-One Bulb Planter

This handy tool removes the soil and makes a perfect planting hole in one operation. Leaves firm flat base free from air pockets, making it ideal for bulb planting. Price, \$1.00.

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Crocus-like flowers of rich golden yellow. Make a charming decoration if planted in bowls or pots. They bloom a few weeks after planting. Outdoors Sternbergia likes a warm, well drained situation where it should be undisturbed. Fine for the rock garden. 10 for \$1.75; 25 for \$3.25; 100 for \$12.50

#### ENGLISH IRIS

A beautiful mixture of these colorful Iris to add real beauty and distinction to your garden. Extremely hardy and loves a cool, moist soil.

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100 for \$12.50

#### INDOOR FAVORITES PAPER-WHITE NARCISSUS (French Grown)

This is a pure white flowering sort, used extensively for forcing. Can be brought into bloom in 8 weeks' time.

10	25	100
\$1.35	\$3.00	\$10.00
1.75	3.85	13.50

Selected bulbs

Mammoth bulbs

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1.75	3.85	13.50

#### WHITE.

3 for \$1.00; 10 for \$3.15;

25 for \$6.75; 100 for \$22.50

LIGHT BLUE.

3 for 60c; 10 for \$1.65;

25 for \$3.75; 100 for \$12.50

LIGHT PINK.

3 for \$1.00; 10 for \$3.15;

25 for \$6.75; 100 for \$22.50

#### FRENCH ROMAN HYACINTHS

French Roman Hyacinths are among the easiest indoor bulbs to flower. These bulbs will bloom from November all through the winter months, if potted up in September and at two-week intervals.

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25 for \$6.75; 100 for \$22.50

LIGHT BLUE.

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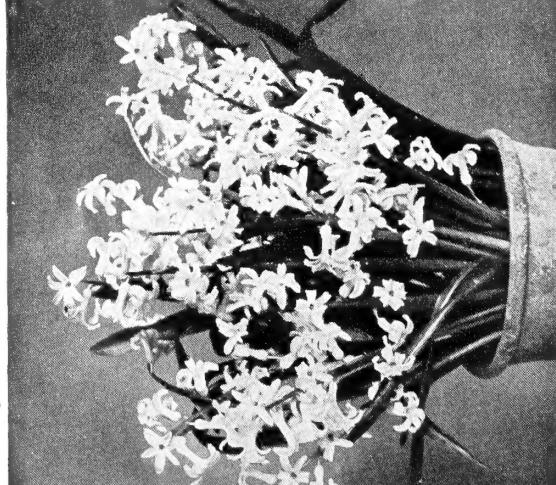
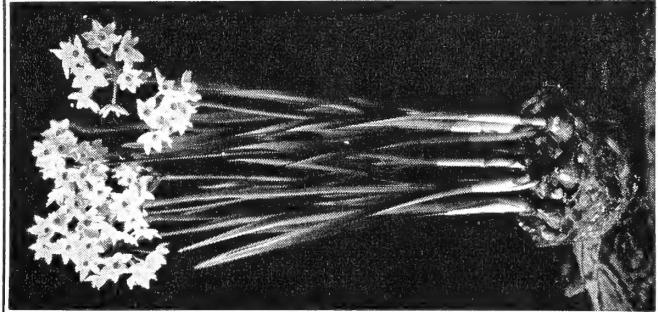
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## *Mitchell's* GREEN VELVET Lawn Seed

### A Very Special Mitchell Mixture

For permanence and beauty there is none better than Green Velvet lawn. This is our most popular and widely planted mixture, and scores of home owners have beautiful lawns as a result of sowing only Green Velvet. It is combined of the finest perennial lawn seeds, especially recommended for the open, sunny lawn, and will produce a closely knit, weed free turf of lustrous green velvety appearance, sturdy enough to withstand constant use.

Lb., \$1.80; 3 lbs., \$5.25; 5 lbs., \$8.70; 10 lbs., \$17.00; 25 lbs., \$42.00; 100 lbs., \$165.00

### A Mitchell Mixture for Every Need

#### "EVERGREEN"

Recommended to fill the requirements of the average lawn. This mixture will produce a very desirable turf of fine-bladed hardy grasses, capable of withstanding considerable wear and periodic dry spells.

Lb., \$1.40; 3 lbs., \$4.10; 5 lbs., \$6.70;  
10 lbs., \$13.10; 25 lbs., \$32.00; 100 lbs., \$125.00

Lb., \$1.45; 3 lbs., \$4.25; 5 lbs., \$6.95; 10 lbs., \$13.60;  
25 lbs., \$33.25; 100 lbs., \$130.00

#### "SHADED LAWN"

A mixture of shade-tolerant grasses that will produce a perfect sward in areas receiving little or no direct sunlight. Such locations present problems other than lack of sunlight. Soil should be checked for drought and acidity.

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#### "SPARKLING CLOVER"

A new Mitchell Mixture formulated to thrive under sunmen heat and dryness. Contains New Zealand certified White Clover. Lb., \$1.25; 3 lbs., \$3.65; 5 lbs., \$5.95;  
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An adequate mixture meeting the requirements of those desiring a moderately priced grass seed. It will produce a hardy turf and healthy growth.

Lb., 95c; 3 lbs., \$2.75; 5 lbs., \$4.45;  
10 lbs., \$8.60; 25 lbs., \$20.75; 100 lbs., \$80.00

#### "CLOVER LAWN"

A highly refined perennial mixture for those desiring clover in their lawns. Will grow quickly on hard or worn-out spots.

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10 lbs., \$16.60; 25 lbs., \$40.75; 100 lbs., \$160.00

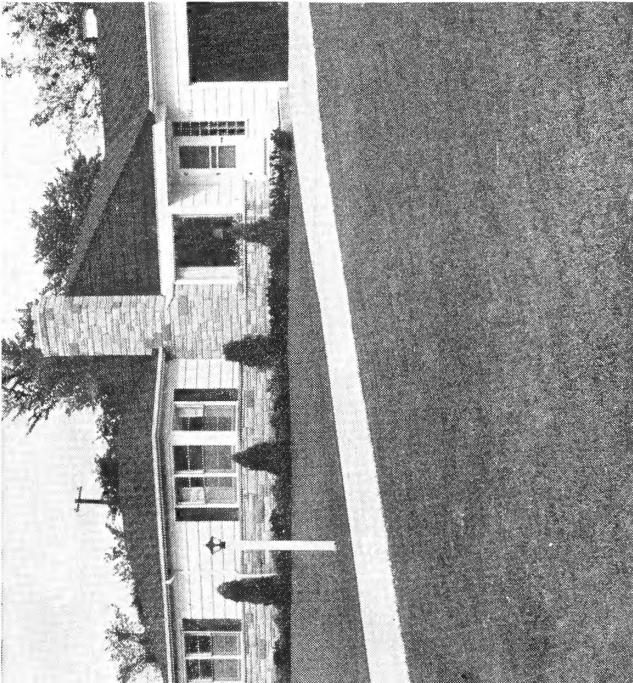
#### "WHITE DUTCH CLOVER"

Sow separately for best results.

$\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 60c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb., \$1.10; 1 lb., \$2.00; 5 lbs., \$9.75;  
10 lbs., \$18.50; 25 lbs., \$43.75

#### Separate Varieties

	Lb.	5 lbs.	10 lbs.	Lb.	5 lbs.	10 lbs.
Colonial Bent Grass	\$1.80	\$8.75	\$17.00	Poa Trivialis	\$1.25	\$5.75
Kentucky Blue Grass	1.75	8.25	15.50	Red Top	1.70	8.25
Chewings Fescue	1.10	5.00	9.00	Perennial Rye Grass	.60	2.75
Creeping Red Fescue	1.00	4.75	8.50	Domestic Rye Grass	.50	2.25



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This is not a mixture but 100% pure Merion Blue-grass. Withstands heat and dry spells and bears up under close mowing. One pound will cover 750 square feet and will develop into a very dense and vigorous turf. Supply still very limited, send immediately while seed is available.

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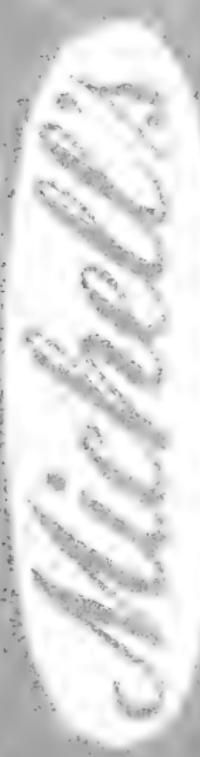
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The backbone of the summer garden can be depended upon to produce a great abundance of bloom over a long period.

**Blue Boy.** Deep blue. New shade.

**Count Zepelin.** White, red eye.  $2\frac{1}{2}$  ft.

**Daily Sketch.** Salmon-pink, crimson eye.

**E. I. Farrington.** Large, bright salmon-pink shading to soft pink. Strong, healthy.

**George Stripp.** Deep salmon, bright eye.  $2\frac{1}{2}$  ft.

**Fairy King.** Lovely lavender. Large, rounded flower heads. 2 ft. **Leo Schlageter.** Large, pyramidal clusters of bright scarlet-carmine overlaid with orange.

**Mary Louise.** Pure white of large size; very fine. 2 ft. **Miss Lingard.** Pearly white with pink eye, good for cutting.

**Salmon Glow.** Flame-pink with light center.  $2\frac{1}{2}$  ft.

**San Antonio.** Immense heads of non-fading blood-red florets. 2 to 3 ft. Any 5 plants, \$3.50 Any 10 plants, \$6.25 Minimum Order 5 plants.



4 OUTSTANDING  
PERENNIALS  
THAT SHOULD BE IN  
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Minimum Plant Order  
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### Big Colorful Blooms All Summer

The Daylily will grow in almost any climate and requires very little attention. Beautiful flowers ranging from pale yellow to a rich orange. They're so easy to grow that no garden should be without them.

**Bay State.** Medium size flowers pure yellow. June. **D. D. Wyman.** Golden yellow with tawny splash across each petal. Early June.

**Golden.** Well formed, golden orange flowers. July. **Gypsy.** Beautiful blooms, narrow petal, deep orange.

**Mrs. W. H. Wyman.** Pale glistening yellow.  $3\frac{1}{2}$  ft. August. **Ophir.** Red golden yellow coloring makes this a favorite variety. 4 ft.

Each 75c; 3 for \$1.95; 10 for \$6.00.

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**Pacific Giants.** This new strain, developed in California, carries a fine range of colors and the structure of the best foreign varieties. Our plants have been grown from the originator's own stock. Strong plants. Mixed colors. Each \$1.00; 3 for \$2.75; 10 for \$8.50

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Oriental Poppies are among the finest perennials for the garden. They are easily grown and once established, will live for many years.

**Barr's White.** Large, pure white flowers with purplish black spots. **Beauty Livermere.** The finest dark crimson with black blotch. **Cavalier.** Crinkly, deep scarlet-red flowers. Strong grower. **Curtis Flame.** Extra large, flame-red blooms on long, strong stems.

**Enchantress.** Soft lilac-rose. A beautiful shade. **Jeanne Mawson.** Geranium-pink. Erect grower. **Gold of Ophir.** Huge golden orange flowers. 24 to 28 inches in height.

**Helen Elizabeth.** Pink. Straight 34-inch stems. No dark spots. **Orange Perfection.** Strong grower; orange-tinted flame-red flowers. Free flowering. **Salmon Glow.** Double salmon-orange. Strong, erect grower. \$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.85; 6 for \$5.50.



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**Blaze.** Pat. 10. Scarlet-crimson blooms produced in great sprays. Blooms repeatedly during the season when well established. Each \$1.35; 3 for \$3.85

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Climbing Crimson Glory, Climbing Peace,  
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1 each of above .....	\$ 5.75
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## FLORIBUNDAS

### 1955 ALL-AMERICA FLORIBUNDA

**Jimmy Cricket.** Patent Applied For. Tan-gerine-red buds open to coral-orange or vermillion and finish a pink-corall. An intriguing Rose whether in the garden or as a cut flower in the house. Each \$2.50; 3 for \$6.60

**Lilbet.** Patent Pending. The colors range from light rose to soft dawn-pink during progressive stages of bloom. Lilbet makes a broad, bushy plant about 2 feet high, thickly studded with dainty blooms on wing stems. Each \$2.50 each; 3 for \$6.60

**Fashion.** Patent 789. Bud peach with yellow overcast and the flower finishes a beautiful coral. Half-open flowers deep coral inside. Each \$2.00; 3 for \$5.25

**World's Fair.** Patent 362. Red. Large clusters of velvety black-scarlet flowers nearly 4 inches across with 18 to 20 petals; fragrant. Each \$1.50; 3 for \$3.90

### Patented Collection

Tiffany Chrysler Imperial Mojave

**1 of ea., 3 plants, \$7.95  
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1955 All-America Hybrid Tea Rose

**Tiffany.** Patent Applied for. 1955 All-America Hybrid Tea. Beautiful phlox-pink with blooms of outstanding quality. Long pointed buds are deep pink with golden yellow shading at base of petals; flower opens to perfectly formed double, high centered blooms on long, strong stems. Noted for its fragrance. Each \$3.00; 3 for \$7.95

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**Chrysler Imperial.** Patent pending. An ideal exhibition Rose. The big flowers are brilliant crimson color and are produced abundantly on single, sturdy, medium-long cutting stems. Flowers are beautifully formed, measuring 4 to 5 inches in diameter, and last remarkably well when cut. Each \$3.00; 3 for \$8.70

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**Forty-Niner.** Patent 792. Rich chrome-yellow on outside of the petals, sometimes overlaid with pink changing to straw color in the open bloom. Inside vivid Orient-red turning to cherry-red with age. Each \$2.50; 3 for \$7.20

**Mojave.** Patent 1176. The only Hybrid Tea Rose to win an All-America award for 1954. The dominating colors are apricot-orange and other warm tints of nasturtium-red, scarlet and vermillion. Long slender buds, richly colored. The large, double flowers have about 20 to 25 petals and are pleasantly fragrant. Each \$3.00; 3 for \$8.70

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### Floribunda Collection

Lilbet

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Red Pinocchio

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## PEACE

Patent 591. The buds are golden, with a flush of pink along the petal edges. They open very slowly to excitingly hand-some blooms of yellow, pale gold, cream and ivory with varying flush of pink on the edges of the lightly ruffled petals. Peace Roses vary in color from day to day and from flower to flower but are always beautiful, always with that other-world look of delicacy and dewy freshness. Each \$2.50; 3 for \$7.20



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5 Illustrated Varieties	<b>\$5.95</b>
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**① McGredy's Yellow.** Full-petaled fragrant blooms of clear yellow. Vigorous grower.

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**Radiance.** The two-tone pink cupped flowers have a pungent, true Rose fragrance.

**④ The Doctor.** Buds long and pointed expand to an enormous bloom. Exquisite silvery pink, uniform in both bud and open flower. Intense fragrance.

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**Streamliner.** Conceded to be one of the best everbearing Strawberries offered today. Has pleasing flavor and rich red color throughout; excellent for eating fresh, canning, or freezing. Potted plants: 25 for \$5.00; 50 for \$9.50; 100 for \$18.00. Please send 50c for Parcel Post charges on orders under 100 plants. Larger orders are shipped Express charges collect.



# Peonies

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<b>Cherry Hill.</b> Deep garnet; early	\$1.50
<b>Edulis Superba.</b> Beautiful pink	1.25
<b>Felix Crousse.</b> Midseason-red	1.25
<b>Festiva Maxima.</b> Fine white	1.25
<b>Grover Cleveland.</b> Dark crimson	1.25
<b>Karl Rosenfield.</b> Bright crimson. Good cut flowers	1.50
<b>Laura Dessert.</b> Canary-yellow	2.00
<b>Minnie Shaylor.</b> Clear light pink. Very popular	2.50
<b>Mme. Emile Lemoine.</b> Beautiful white with crimson streaks	1.50
<b>Mons. Jules Elie.</b> Early lilac-rose	1.25
<b>Philippe Rivoire.</b> Dark crimson; fragrant	3.00
<b>Primevere.</b> Sulphur-yellow; lovely	2.00
<b>Richard Carvel.</b> Large bright crimson, early	1.50
2 of each (4)	
4 of each (8)	

# IRIS

## Beautiful Colors

### "POPULAR"

**ANGELUS.** Lilac-pink blend.  
**BLUE MONARCH.** Tall blue.  
**GOLDEN HIND.** Rich golden yellow tinted with orange.  
**AUTUMN SURPRISE.** Fine new medium blue.

### "FALL BLOOMING"

Flower in the fall as well as the spring. These are not common in gardens, and you should try some.

**AUTUMN ELF.** Standards cream, falls lavender, very fragrant.  
**AUTUMN KING.** Large blue-purple.  
**AUTUMN SURPRISE.** Fine new medium blue.

### "FAVORITES"

**BLUE RHYTHM.** Large flowers of gleaming cornflower-blue. Medal Winner.  
**ELMOHR.** A rich mulberry-purple. Medal Winner and a real beauty.  
**GRAND CANYON.** Beautiful blend of plum, copper and gold.  
**LADY MOHR.** Oyster-white with falls of pale chartreuse—a striking flower.  
**OLA KALA.** Deep yellow ruffled self.  
**PINK CAMEO.** Gorgeous flamingo-pink flowers with tangerine beard. Truly breath-taking.  
**RED DOUGLAS.** Finest new large red.  
**SNOW FLURRY.** Perfectly formed flowers of pure ice-white.  
**SOLID MAHOGANY.** A beautiful rich and mahogany-red.

3 for \$2.75; 6 for \$5.00.

	Each
<b>Sarah Bernhardt.</b> Dark rose-pink	\$1.25
<b>Therese.</b> Soft pink; the best pink	2.00
<b>Walter Faxon.</b> Salmon-rose	1.25
<b>Minimum Order Two Peonies.</b>	

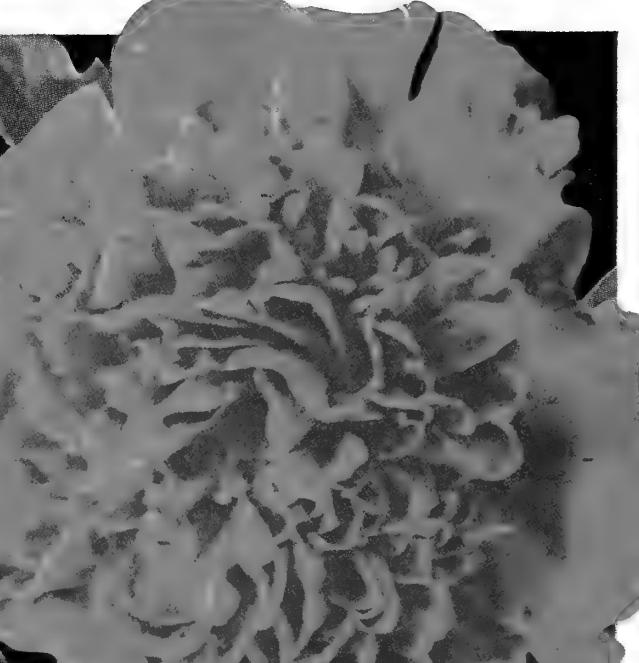
## PEONY COLLECTION

2 Varieties Illustrated  
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 4 of each (8)



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Sarah Bernhardt

# Daffodils

## GIANT TRUMPETS

These bulbs are all TOP SIZE. Bulb sizes vary according to the characteristics of the variety.

### Yellow

**AEROLITE.** Giant Trumpet. A huge golden Daffodil, beautifully proportioned, with deep primrose perianth and pure medium yellow trumpet.  
3 for 75c; 10 for \$2.10; 25 for \$4.50; 100 for \$15.00

**FLOWER CARPET.** Deep golden yellow similar to the well known King Alfred. Free flowering.  
3 for 85c; 10 for \$2.50;  
25 for \$5.00; 100 for \$18.50  
**GOLDEN HARVEST.** Large golden yellow trumpet. Early floriferous and highly recommended for garden planting.  
3 for \$1.00; 10 for \$3.15;  
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**KING ALFRED.** Intense golden yellow; large and open.  
First Size: 3 for 55c; 10 for \$1.60; 25 for \$3.50; 100 for \$12.00  
Top Size: 3 for 85c; 10 for \$2.50; 25 for \$5.00; 100 for \$18.50  
**REMBRANDT.** Pale golden yellow flower of perfect form. Very attractive.  
3 for 75c; 10 for \$2.20; 25 for \$4.80; 100 for \$16.50  
**UNSURPASSEABLE.** One of the largest golden yellow trumpet varieties. Outstanding. Early. 3 for \$1.10; 10 for \$3.25; 25 for \$7.25; 100 for \$25.00

### White

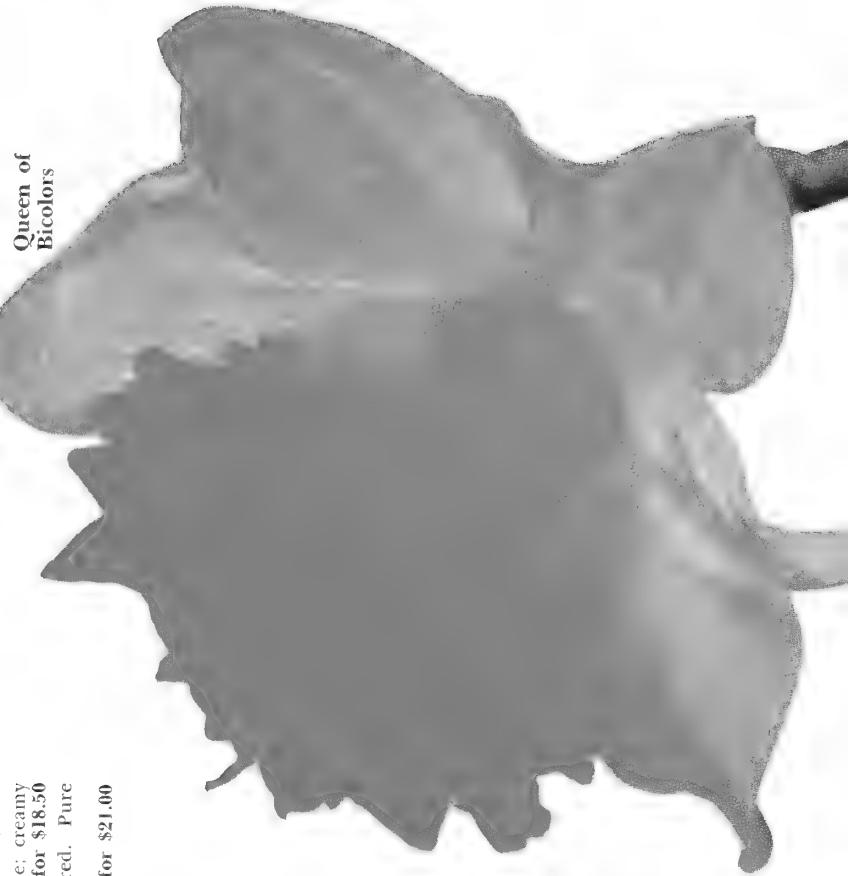
**BEERSHEBA.** Without question the largest and strongest white Narcissus. We recommend this variety for all purposes. Beautifully formed trumpet, nicely flanged at the mouth, with perfectly flat perianth.  
3 for \$1.00; 10 for \$3.10; 25 for \$6.85; 100 for \$23.00

**IMPERATOR.** Very large trumpet variety. Perianth ivory-white; creamy white trumpet.  
3 for 85c; 10 for \$2.50; 25 for \$5.00; 100 for \$18.50  
**MRS. E. H. KRELAGE.** Often referred to as White King Alfred. Pure white perianth; creamy white trumpet.  
3 for 95c; 10 for \$2.85; 25 for \$6.25; 100 for \$21.00

**MOUNT HOOD.** Large flower of splendid form; white overlapping perianth and beautiful broad trumpet. Vigorous grower.  
3 for \$1.00; 10 for \$3.15; 25 for \$6.85; 100 for \$23.50

Mt. Hood

King Alfred



Queen of  
Bicolors

### Bicolor

**QUEEN OF BICOLORS.** Large golden yellow trumpet; creamy white perianth, stained yellow at base. A very popular variety.  
3 for \$1.10; 10 for \$3.25; 25 for \$7.25; 100 for \$25.00  
**SIAM.** Giant Trumpet. Pure white perianth well formed and of good substance. Trumpet is wide and flaring apricot, changing gradually to a soft pink.  
3 for \$1.25; 10 for \$3.70; 25 for \$7.95; 100 for \$26.00

**SPRING GLORY.** An extra fine variety, with pure white perianth and a golden yellow trumpet.  
3 for 90c; 10 for \$2.65; 25 for \$5.75; 100 for \$19.50

King Alfred

Queen of  
Bicolors

## Giant Trumpet Daffodil Collection

Mt. Hood	Mrs. E. H. Krelage
King Alfred	Queen of Bicolors

3 of each, 12 bulbs	\$ 3.45
10 of each, 40 bulbs	10.25
25 of each, 100 bulbs	22.00

# Mitchell's Leaders in Daffodils

## A WELCOME SIGHT IN THE EARLY SPRING GARDEN

### The Pink Daffodil

**MRS. R. O. BACKHOUSE.** No garden is complete without this outstanding variety. This is the famous Pink Daffodil. The ivory-white perianth and long slim trumpet of apricot-pink, changing to shell-pink at the edge, makes this one of the most attractive varieties in this most popular spring flower.

### LARGE CUPPED

One flower to a stem; cup or corona more than one-third, but less than equal to the length of the perianth segments.

Mrs. R. O. Backhouse

Dick Wellband  
**All Bulbs  
Are Top Size**

**CARLTON.** Immense flower with a broad perianth and large, gracefully frilled crown. Soft clear yellow in color.

**DICK WELLBAND.** Overlapping, pure white perianth with flame-orange cup, which color does not fade but rather intensifies with age.

**FORTUNE.** Broad overlapping perianth of brilliant yellow; the long deep crown of glowing blood-orange stands out boldly. Recommended.

**FRANCISCA DRAKE.** Pure white perianth petals tinted gold at the base, changing gradually to flame-orange at the densely frilled edge.

**HELIOS.** Deep golden yellow perianth, semi-overlapping; the cup opens a little darker than the petals and in a cool climate changes to light orange.

**JOHN EVELYN.** Large overlapping ivory-white perianth; large flat apricot crown, heavily frilled.

**PLUVIUS.** Large, golden yellow, star-shaped perianth, long orange trumpet of crepe-like texture. Perianth reflexes gracefully.

**RED BIRD.** Well-rounded, overlapping petals of a fine white solid texture, fiery orange-scarlet cups. A beautiful flower for your garden.

**SCARLET ELEGANCE.** Perianth dark yellow with brilliant scarlet cup. Medium early.

### SMALL CUPPED

One flower to a stem; cup or corona not more than one-third the length of the perianth segments.

**FIRETAIL.** Broad, creamy white perianth of firm texture; flat crown of brilliant crimson-scarlet.

**LADY DIANA MANNERS.** White perianth; large crown of golden yellow marbled orange-scarlet. Fall stems.

**MRS. BARCLAY.** Creamy white perianth with yellow cup edged orange. Long lasting and highly desirable.

Firetail

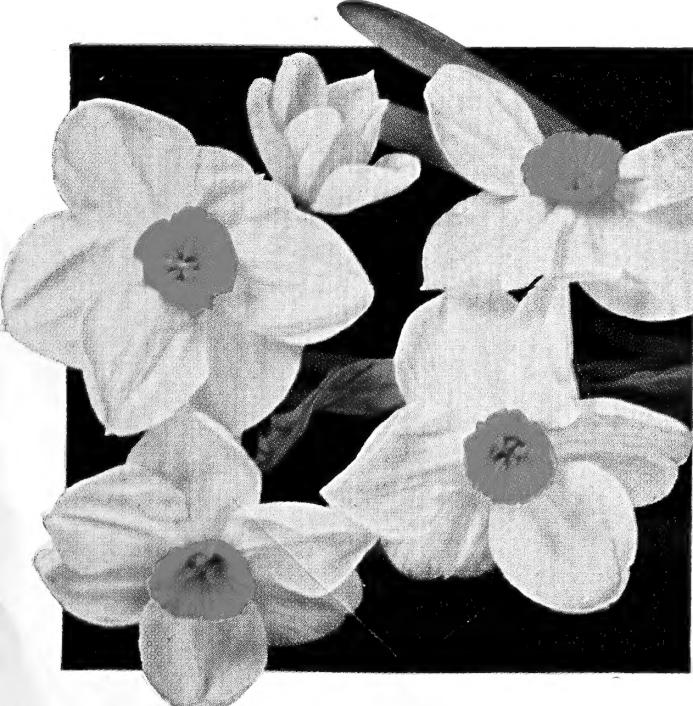
## JONQUILS

### SWEET SCENTED

**SINGLE.** Rich yellow; very fragrant. Fine for cutting.

**DOUBLE.** Very double, golden yellow, not quite so fragrant as the single. 3 for \$1.20; 10 for \$2.65; 100 for \$9.00

**TREVITHIAN.** Free flowering; producing two or more sweetly scented flowers on a stem. Broad overlapping perianth and shallow crown of pale lemon-yellow. 3 for 55c; 10 for \$1.65; 25 for \$3.65; 100 for \$12.50



Geranium

## POETAZ

Cluster-flowered; tall, vigorous, delightfully perfumed.

**GERANIUM.** Cluster of 4 to 6 flowers on a stem. Loose white perianth with lovely orange cups. Recommended. 3 for 70c; 10 for \$2.00; 25 for \$4.35; 100 for \$15.00

**LA FIANCÉE.** White perianth, bright orange cup. Very early. Several flowers on a stem.

3 for 90c; 10 for \$2.65; 25 for \$5.75; 100 for \$19.50

**LAURENS KOSTER.** Flowers large; perianth pure white with deep orange-yellow cup. Frequently 4 or 5 flowers are produced on a stem.

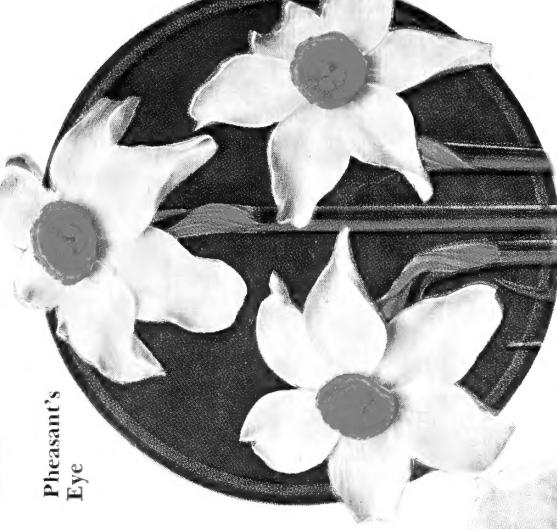
3 for 55c; 10 for \$1.65; 25 for \$3.65; 100 for \$12.50

## TRIANDRUS HYBRID

One to six flowers to a stem, beautiful drooping clusters with petals bent sharply backward.

**THALIA.** Orchid-flowered Narcissus. Produces 3 or 4 blooms on a sturdy stem; color is a gorgeous white and flowers are so arranged as to remind one of orchids.

3 for 80c; 10 for \$2.35; 25 for \$5.10; 100 for \$17.50



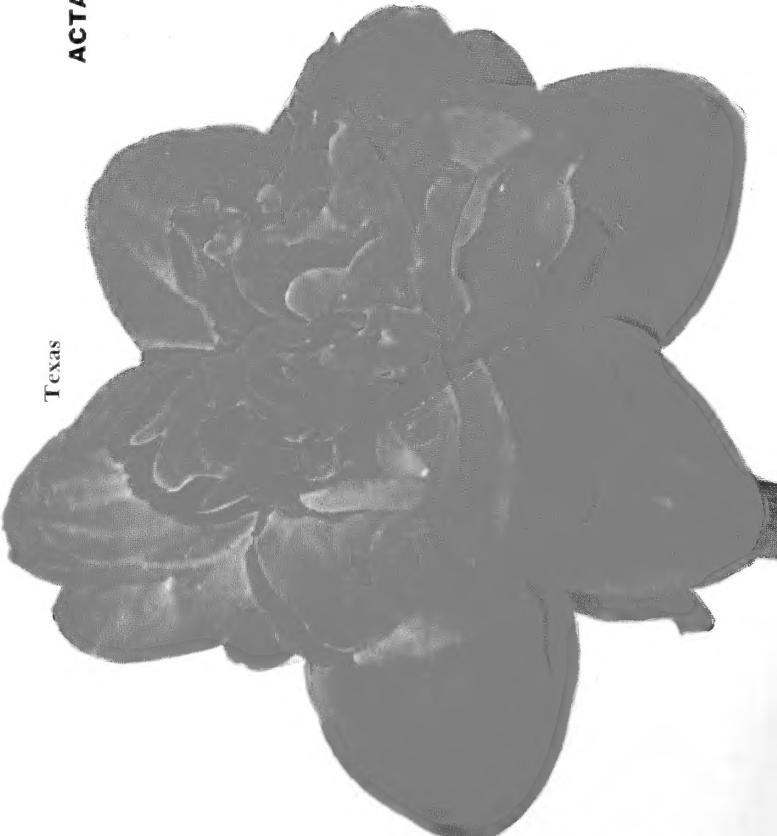
Pheasant's  
Eye

## Springtime Daffodil Collection

A Collection of the 9 Varieties Illustrated on These Two Pages

3 of each, 27 bulbs	\$ 4.40
6 of each, 54 bulbs	7.95
10 of each, 90 bulbs	12.25

Texas



## POETICUS

(Poet's or Pheasant's-Eye Narcissus)

**ACTAEA.** The largest Poeticus Daffodil. Broad, snow-white perianth; very large eye, broadly margined with dark red.

3 for 65c; 10 for \$1.95; 25 for \$4.25; 100 for \$14.50

**PHEASANT'S EYE.** One of the most popular varieties in this type. Large flowers, pure white perianth with orange cup, edged red. Used extensively for naturalizing. Late flowering.

3 for 95c; 10 for \$1.65; 25 for \$3.65; 100 for \$12.50

## DOUBLES

**CHEERFULNESS.** Excellent double-flowering type. Real double white with faint suggestion of pale yellow at base.

3 for 60c; 10 for \$1.80; 25 for \$3.95; 100 for \$13.50

**TEXAS.** Large well-filled flower of a beautiful yellow with pronounced orange-red inner petals. Tall and strong.

3 for 95c; 10 for \$2.85; 25 for \$6.25; 100 for \$21.00

**TWINK.** Double. A double of the semi-full type, the petals alternating a soft primrose and clear orange.

3 for 75c; 10 for \$2.10; 25 for \$4.50; 100 for \$15.00

**YELLOW CHEERFULNESS.** Pure yellow. Be one of the first to have this beautiful new Daffodil in your spring garden.

3 for 90c; 10 for \$2.65; 25 for \$5.75; 100 for \$19.50



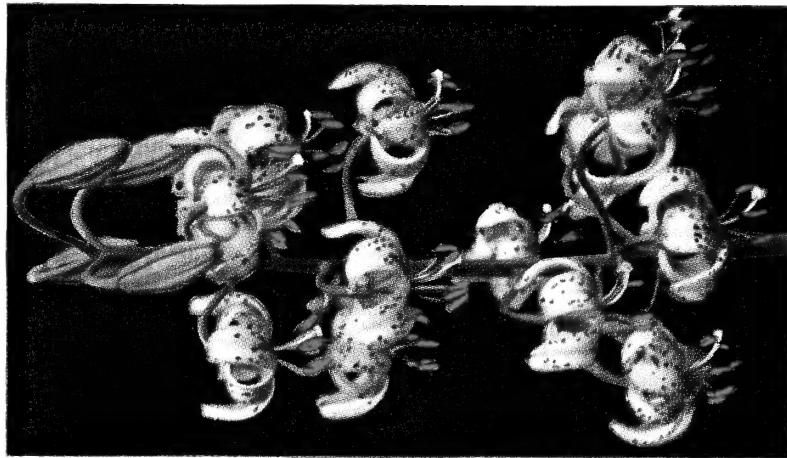
**RAINBOW HYBRIDS.** A Candlestick Lily in gay, sparkling new colors, vigorous and hardy. From 1 to 3 feet tall, they will grow anywhere. Colors range from a pale straw-yellow to deepest maroon. June-flowering.  
60c each; 3 for \$1.50; 10 for \$4.75; 25 for \$10.50



**ESTATE LILY.** Beautiful pure white flowers borne on tall stately stems. Perfectly hardy, they can be grown in almost any garden. Truly one of the best Lilies produced in this country. Will bloom in July and August.  
Selected bulbs: Each \$1.25; 3 for \$3.50; 10 for \$11.50; 25 for \$27.50  
Top size: Each \$1.25; 3 for \$3.50; 10 for \$11.50; 25 for \$27.50

# LILIES For Everyone's Garden

## Michell's Splendid Varieties



**SUNSET LILY (PARDALINUM GIGANTEUM).** A California variety bearing 12 to 20 strongly recurved flowers of bright orange, spotted dark crimson. Height 4 to 5 feet. July. Each 50c; 3 for \$1.35; 10 for \$4.50; 25 for \$10.00

**HENRYI** (Yellow Speciosum Lily). Distinct orange-yellow flowers. Often 7 feet. July, August. Each 50c; 3 for \$1.35; 10 for \$4.50; 25 for \$10.00

**PHILIPPINENSE FORMOSANUM.** Large, pure white blooms tinted with rose on the outside. A delightful fragrance and a profuse bloomer. Each 35c; 3 for \$1.00; 10 for \$3.00; 25 for \$6.25

## Other Fine Lilies of Merit

**TURK'S CAP LILY (SUPREME).** Grows from 4 to 5 feet high and produces from 15 to 25 orange-red flowers on a stalk. August. 50c each; 3 for \$1.35; 10 for \$4.50; 25 for \$10.00

**CORAL LILY (TENUIFOLIUM).** Grows 1½ feet high, with clusters of brilliant scarlet, star-like flowers on wiry stems. 30c each; 10 for \$2.50; 25 for \$5.00

## FIRE KING

(Not Illustrated)

One of the oldest and best-loved Lilies. Produces large clusters of beautiful, snow-white blooms, having the most delightful fragrance.

Mammoth bulbs: 45c each; 3 for \$1.25; 10 for \$4.00; 25 for \$8.75  
Top size bulbs: Each 80c; 3 for \$2.25; 10 for \$7.25; 25 for \$15.50

A dazzling orange-red with a lighter shading towards the throat. Large, open individual flowers on strong straight stems.

Grows to about 3 feet, has dark glossy green foliage—will really be a standout in your garden.

Each \$1.25;  
3 for \$3.50;  
10 for \$10.00

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## CANDIDUM (Madonna Lily)

(Not Illustrated)

One of the oldest and best-loved Lilies. Produces large clusters of beautiful, snow-white blooms, having the most delightful fragrance.

Mammoth bulbs: 45c each; 3 for \$1.25; 10 for \$4.00; 25 for \$8.75  
Top size bulbs: Each 80c; 3 for \$2.25; 10 for \$7.25; 25 for \$15.50



## REGALE



## REGALE

Large flowers with centers flushed golden yellow, shading to creamy white at outer edge; the reverse of the flowers is streaked brown, with a pearly tint. Its sturdy stems are 3 to 5 feet high. Plant in fall or early spring, 8 to 9 inches deep. Blooms in July. (Ready in October.)

Mammoth bulbs: Each 40c; 3 for \$1.10; 10 for \$3.50; 25 for \$8.00  
Jumbo bulbs: Each 55c; 3 for \$1.50; 10 for \$4.50; 25 for \$10.00  
Top size bulbs: Each 65c; 3 for \$1.80; 10 for \$5.50; 25 for \$12.50

## ENCHANTMENT

A most beautiful, most vibrantly colored new hybrid Lily. With many large, cup-shaped, upright flowers of an intense, blaring, Nasturtium-red, this plant lights up the garden and is visible from far away. The over-all effect is extremely pleasing. The flowers are unusually long-lasting. Late June, early July. 75c each; 3 for \$2.00; 10 for \$6.00; 25 for \$13.75  
flowering.

## The Exotic RUBRUM LILY

Not only the most beautiful and showy of pink Lilies, but also easiest to grow. Produces clusters of delicately fragrant, frilly rose-pink blooms, daintily spotted with crimson. Perfectly hardy, it grows vigorously in the ordinary garden. 4 to 5 feet.

Mammoth bulbs: Each 50c; 3 for \$1.35; 10 for \$4.00; 25 for \$8.75  
Jumbo bulbs: Each 75c; 3 for \$2.00; 10 for \$6.00; 25 for \$13.75  
Top size: Each \$1.00; 3 for \$2.85; 10 for \$8.75; 25 for \$20.00



## NARCISSUS for Naturalizing

One of the loveliest of all spring flowers, it is a truly worth-while investment. The bulbs increase readily and can be expected to bloom abundantly for many years. When bulbs become crowded, dig them up and reset them. Mixture includes many new and rare varieties.

Double Nose	25	100	1000	
No. 1 . . . . .	\$2.75	\$9.00	\$85.00	
Special Rounds	2.00	7.50	70.00	

## TULIP MIXTURE

For a Brilliant Display

Carefully selected Darwin Tulips in a beautiful range of colors, which will make a glorious display in your garden in the month of May. Excellent for bouquet use and mass planting.

10 for \$1.00
25 for 2.25
100 for 8.25
250 for 18.75

*Mitchell's*

# HYACINTHS

No spring garden can be considered complete without a planting of wonderfully fragrant Hyacinths. For beds, borders, or irregular groups they add rich striking color. One of the earliest flowers to grow in pots or bowls and a display of Hyacinths in the house during the winter provides a wonderful decoration. We offer only the best varieties in a complete range of colors.

## White Shades

**EDELWEISS.** Early. Pure white, compact spike.

**L'INNOCENCE.** Pure white. Excellent forcer and fine for bedding. Extra fine truss with large bells.

## Yellow

**CITY OF HAARLEM.** Well-formed, pure golden yellow bells on good spikes. Valuable for exhibition purposes and excellent for the garden.

## Blue Shades

**BISMARCK.** Large, sky-blue flowers on long stems. Excellent for early forcing and good for bedding.

**GRAND MAITRE.** Large, deep porcelain-blue bells in very long, well-filled truss.

**KING OF THE BLUES.** Deep dark blue. A fine, compact truss. For late forcing and for bedding.

## Scarlet

**JAN BOS.** Carmine-red tinted scarlet; lighter center. Good stem and flower. Recommended.

**LA VICTOIRE.** One of the finest red varieties, maintaining its brilliant scarlet color. Unsurpassed for bedding or forcing. Should be in every collection.

## Pink and Rose

**LADY DERBY.** Clear rose-pink. An excellent forcer and very fine for bedding, because of its strong stem.

**PINK PEARL.** Vivid rose. Large spike on a strong stem.

**QUEEN OF THE PINKS.** Bright rose-pink; large spike and good sized bells on a sturdy stem. The ideal variety for late forcing and also excellent for bedding.

Hyacinth Prices		Exhibition Size	Bedding Size	Size
3 for . . . . .	\$ 1.15			
10 for . . . . .	3.25			
25 for . . . . .	7.00			
100 for . . . . .	26.00			

Size	Exhibition Size	Bedding Size	Size
2 each of above, 12 bulbs,	\$4.00		
4 each of above, 24 bulbs,	7.85		
10 each of above, 60 bulbs,	17.50		

Size	Exhibition Size	Bedding Size	Size
2 each of above, 12 bulbs,	\$3.00		
4 each of above, 24 bulbs,	5.75		
10 each of above, 60 bulbs,	12.25		

Grand Maitre

<b>Outdoor Culture:</b> Plant in Oct. and Nov., in good, well drained garden soil. Plant bulbs so that the top will be 3 to 4 inches below the surface and 6 to 8 inches apart. After the ground has frozen cover with litter, leaves, or manure, to protect from frost; this should be removed in spring when danger from hard frost is past.
<b>Pot Culture:</b> Plant from Sept. to Nov., using a 4- to 5-inch pot for single bulbs or several bulbs may be planted in a larger pot or bulb pan. After planting, water well and put in a cool, dark, airy place until well rooted, after which remove to a cool room and later to a warmer room.

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